

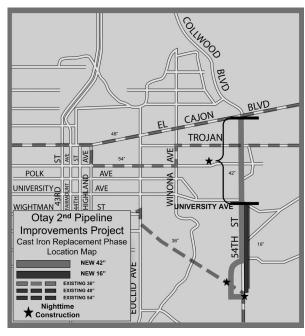
THE CITY OF SAN DIEGO

SPECIAL NOTICE Night Time Construction Activities Along 54th Street Between El Cajon Boulevard and University Avenue Are Underway

October 28, 2008

The construction of the Otay II Pipeline Replacement Project is underway. The Otay II Pipeline will increase water capacity and improve water delivery system throughout San Diego. The construction started in April 2008 and will be completed by December 2010.

As a part of the work, construction crews will excavate the roadway, install new 42-inch steel pipe, backfill the trench and re-pave the roadway along the project alignment, 54th Street between El Cajon Boulevard and Redwood Street. Although the majority of construction work will be done during daytime working hours, a segment of the project on 54th Street between El Cajon Boulevard and University Avenue will have to be constructed during night time due to traffic volume and safety issues. Work on this segment started on October 19 and may continue on and off into 2009. There will be occasional night work for the connection of the existing pipelines to the new installed pipeline at intersection of 54th Street with Trojan Avenue in late December 2008, the intersection of 54th and El Cajon Boulevard and Redwood Street and also on Easy Street in winter of 2009. During these connections the contractor will be working 24 hrs shifts as long as three days continuously in order to assure no interruption to City wide water supplies. The City will provide more detail information about these connections and the construction activities at these locations later on. There will be no disruption of water services during entire construction and water services will be maintained all the time.



The night time construction activities on 54th Street between El Cajon Boulevard and University Avenue will be between the hours of 8:00 p.m. and 6:00 a.m., Sunday through Thursday. Normal working hours will be Monday through Friday, 8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.

Measures will be implemented to ensure pedestrian safety and continued vehicle access for impacted residents on 54th Street and all construction areas during the construction period.

Thank you for your patience while the City of San Diego completes the construction of this important project. This project is part of the City's overall water delivery system improvement program implemented to provide safe and reliable water for San Diego. The total cost of the project is estimated at \$13 million and will be funded by water rates and revenue bonds.

If you would like more information about this project, call the Public Information Line at 619-533-4679 or Bobak Madgedi at 619-533-5241. If you'd like to receive email updates regarding this project, please send an email to engineering@sandiego.gov.

This information is available in alternative formats upon request.

